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1. At Strada Unirei, 59, in the former Stefan Andreescu factory, hand grenades are manufactured. The finished grenades are transported to and stored at the Pulberaria Statului (State Munitions Depot).
2. Pulberaria Statului is situated outside the Dudesti District in the section known as Dudesti Cioplea. Various munitions are manufactured here, such as cartridges, shells, and grenades. [redacted] no particulars as to type and quantity of production, but [redacted] the place was heavily guarded by Rumanian soldiers and that many former workers had been dismissed and replaced by more "reliable" persons who were under very strict control. Twenty or more trucks, driven by Rumanian soldiers, discharge and load munitions at this site daily.
3. APACA, which has recently been renamed Fabrica de Postavuri Gheorghiu-Dej (Gheorghiu-Dej Cloth Factory), is an entirely new factory in the Cotroceni District. It was built entirely by "voluntary work", and manufactures military clothing.
4. Cooperativa 6 Martia (Cooperative 6 March) is situated at the intersection of Dudesti and Vitan Streets. This was formerly a silk factory, but since its nationalization it has been converted to the manufacture of leather boots and shoes for the Rumanian Army. There are about 200 workers in this factory; it is said that production is steadily increasing.
5. Techno-Marina, on Soseaua Vitan, has recently been enlarged, and a new building is being constructed. This factory employs about 500 workers and produces high grade lubricants for aircraft and naval vessels.

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